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his Bank are notified that for the election of a Board of action of such other business there, will be held at Monday, January 5th, 1885.

ALBERT WHITE, Cashier.

Bank of Bangor.

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Bank of Bangor.

he First National Bank of at their annual meeting will ng Rooms, on TUESDAY, anuary, next, at 3 o'clock of Directors and for such egally come before them. G. WYMAN, Cashier.

National Bank.

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National Bank.

of the Stockholders of the k of Bangor, will be held on Tuesday, January 13th, P. M., to choose a board of other business that ... A. P. BAKER, Cashier.

TICE.

... Stockholders of the ... of Bangor, will be held at ... Bangor, on Tuesday, the ... at eleven o'clock in the ... of Directors and the trans- ... business that may come be- ... S. DENNETT, Cashier.

OUS STORY

TWO LETTERS.

... 8 Cedar St., New York, Oct. 28, 1882.

...ather that I am at Glove... great sufferer from Scrofula ... letter will tell you what

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I think his blood must ... humor for at least ten ... show except in the form ... on the wrist, until about ... in a few spots which ap- ... it gradually spread so as ... dy. I assure you he was ... an object of pity, which ... edicine. Now, there are ... who enjoy as good health ... ually same fifty persons ... he faces in his case. ... W. M. PHILLIPS."

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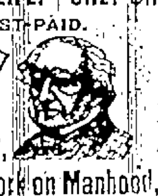

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F. O. BUZZELL, Prop.
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If you want to buy an acceptable gift, go to
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—OR A—
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Remember that this is the only Fur store in East ... Mr. Wood will make the best Sealskin business ... than other ... and will make to order at my store.
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GENTS COATS LINED AND TRIMMED
A Full Line of Sleigh Robes and Robe Lining.
... call on
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—AT—
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Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on the 31st inst. there was seized at Kenduskeag, for violation of the revenue laws, one Bay Horse: Said horse having been advertised for the time prescribed by law and no claimant appearing, will be sold at public auction at the stable of Lemuel Nichols in this city on Saturday the 3d day of January next, at 10 o'clock A. M.

DANIEL F. DAVIS, Collector of Customs District of Bangor.
Bangor, Dec. 23, 1884. dec27

Home for Aged Women.

Notice is hereby given that the annual corporation meeting of the Home for Aged Women, in Bangor, will be held at the City Hall Building, on Thursday the 8th day of January next, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of choosing officers and the transaction of any business that may come before the meeting.

FRANCES E. NOBLE, Sec'y.
Bangor, Dec. 2..., 1884. dec27

Holiday Goods,
NOW OPENING, AT
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It is a well-known fact ... Horse and Cattle Powder ... Sheridan's ... absolutely pure ... Nothing on Earth will make hens lay like Sheridan's ... Powder. Dose, one teaspoonful ... It will also positively prevent and cure
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We would call special attention to our New styles of
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From $24.00 to $35.00. A large reduction from former prices. Handsomely Painted Sets in all colors, from $15.00 to $27.00. Marble Top Walnut sets, of Solid Walnut throughout, from $50.00 to $150.00.

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During the dull Winter months we are determined to reduce our large stock and shall sell at prices lower than ever before offered in this market. In fact, regardless of even the bare cost of manufacture. This is a rare opportunity for persons to purchase Furniture of rare workmanship at extremely low prices.

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We have a Good Stock of
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Still on hand, which we will close out for the next thirty days at greatly reduced prices.
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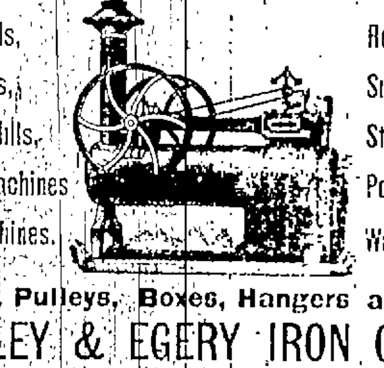

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STATE NEWS.

Androscoggin.

A Lewiston gentleman informs us of a new wrinkle in rum selling, says the *Argus*. A certain fish peddler in that city has a number of regular customers whom he supplies by putting pint or quart bottles of whiskey or other intoxicants into the insides of part of the fish in his cart, having a mark on them so as to tell which is which. In this way he has sold intoxicants in the streets of Lewiston for over 18 months with no one to molest him or make him afraid. If the police of that city examine the fish carts some day, perhaps they will find something good.

Aroostook.

In response to a call, a meeting of our citizens was held in Clark's Hall last Saturday afternoon, the purpose of the meeting being to consider "ways and means" of obtaining favorable action by the next Legislature for the establishment of a Superior Court in Aroostook County. The meeting was well attended and the feeling expressed showed that our citizens appreciate the difficulties under which they are laboring, says the *Republican*.

Houlton must have a system of water works the coming year. The Houlton water company was incorporated in 1880, and surveys for the works have since been made by three competent engineers, and they unanimously concur that the town possesses easy facilities for a good supply of water at comparatively small expense, namely, $39,000. The stock subscriptions already exceed $20,000.

Cumberland.

Mr. R. A. McClutchy has been appointed freight agent for the consolidated Boston & Maine, and Eastern roads at Portland. Seventeen men at the machine shop at the round house have been discharged.

As previously stated, a meeting of the Maine Historical Society will be held at its rooms, City Building, Portland, on Jan. 8th. In the afternoon the report of the secretary will be heard; a paper on "The Aborigines of Maine" will be read by Edward H. Elwell, and tributes will be paid to the memory of the late Prof. Alpheus S. Packard. In the evening a paper will be read by Geo. F. Emery, Esq.

About 104,000 pounds of fresh fish, cod and haddock, arrived in Portland, Wednesday, the E. W. Sawyer bringing about 40,000 pounds and two Gloucester schooners the remainder. The shore fish brought $4, and the cape shore $3.25.

Mr. J. T. Ferris, who has been the Portland manager for the Union Mutual Life Insurance Company for the past four years, has resigned his position to enter upon a broader field of labor, and has been engaged by them as special agent, beginning his duties by a trip West, including California, and he offers his residence, farm, stock, etc., for sale prior to his departure.

In the report of the meeting of the Fish Exchange, a fortnight ago, we published a statement of the fish business of Portland for the year, and showed how many firms were employed, the amount of capital invested and amount of fish brought in and packed. The business was treble that of 1883, and the following details may prove interesting. During 1884 the three lobster firms in this city packed away and handled 3,000,000 fish. The eleven fresh fish firms handled 2,800,000 pounds, or 1,400 tons, which was about one-quarter of the business of 1883. The three pickled canning firms packed 500,000 cans, against 2,500,000 for 1883. In dry fish the five firms cured 35,200 quintals, a falling off from last year. One firm prepared a million pounds, of finnan-haddie. In the pickled fish twelve firms are employed, and they reported 131,002 barrels of mackerel and 19,180 of herring, against 47,103 mackerel and 11,400 herring for 1883, employing a tonnage of 10,107, and 2,080 men last year against 9,090 tons and 2,020 men in 1883. One firm has packed 600 barrels of alewives and 500 of shad. For curing the fish reported 219,700 bushels of salt used.—*Press.*

Kennebec.

A. W. Robinson, of Sidney, has shot fifteen foxes and two raccoons the present season. He found the raccoons in a tree, where they had been driven by his dog one moonlight morning about four o'clock.

Mr. Isaac Russell, master mechanic of the Maine Central railroad, has resigned, and is succeeded by Mr. Amos Pillsbury, with headquarters at Waterville, who will be obeyed and respected accordingly, on and after Jan. 1, 1885. Mr. Keniston will remain in charge of the car shop.

At the annual meeting of the Maine Press Association in Augusta, in January, the one hundredth anniversary of the introduction of the newspaper press in Maine will be observed by the reading of a paper, by Edward H. Elwell, on "The Origin and Growth of the Newspaper Press in Maine," and by short addresses and remarks by other members of the Association.

Mr. Noah Whitten, a middle aged farmer of Clinton, who received frightful injuries about the head a few days ago, is doing well. He had been to the woods for a load of long wood and had driven home, when at his gate a piece of timber, not properly balanced, flew up, inflicting a stunning and dangerous wound near the jugular vein. He was for a long time unconscious and unable to explain his misfortune.

A correspondent writes in regard to the recent associated press dispatch in regard to Miss Nancy Fairbanks, who died in Winthrop Dec. 13th: "Miss Fairbanks was not found unconscious. She was not an opium eater, was not a hermit any more than any lady whose friends had passed away and left her alone on the homestead. She did not live in a secluded place. She lived on the direct road from North Monmouth to Winthrop. Miss Fairbanks took a violent cold from which she had the pneumonia. She was found ill. She did not die alone as the writer was with her thirty hours before she passed away.

Knox.

Charles Jackson, of Rockland, was injured, Saturday, by the explosion of his dinner pail, which he had just warmed on the stove and taken off, preparatory to eating. His face and one eye were burned and blistered. The contents of the pail landed on the plastering overhead.

Lincoln.

Thomas Sidelinger, of Waldoboro, has a Jersey heifer which he turned out to pasture last summer when three weeks old. One-half of the pasture is covered with a dense forest. Some two weeks ago he went to search after the animal, but was unable to find her and started for home. On reaching his house behold there she stood, waiting to enter the barn. He had not seen her for seven months and, still she appears tame. The girth of the heifer is four feet ten inches.

Piscataquis.

The town treasurer of Greenville says that he has paid bounty on fifty-nine bears the past season, which amounts to $295.

Waldo.

Benj. Merithew, Searsport's oldest citizen, died Monday morning, December 29th. He celebrated his 90th birthday on December 6th.

The Belfast *Journal* says: The wife of James Gordon, of Liberty, has a little girl child. The difference in the age of mother and daughter is about 75 years.

A petition is in circulation asking the legislature for a charter to build a bridge across Belfast Harbor from Hazeltine's wharf to the Bag wharf. This is done to forlay the case of accident and not to build an extra bridge. If it becomes necessary to build a bridge a charter will be already procured, and we shall not have to await the action of the legislature, which meets but once in two years.

A boy fifteen years of age, the son of Mr. H. B. Rice, Postmaster at Unity, has been arrested for stealing registered letters from the mails. For some time letters had been missed, and so a detective was engaged to look into the matter. A decoy letter, in which marked bills were placed, was mailed at West Troy. The letter was taken from the mail at Unity, the boy was arrested, and the money found upon him. It is a great surprise to all who know him that the boy should be discovered in such wrong doing. He has previously had an excellent reputation. His parents have the sympathy of their neighbors and friends.

Washington.

The Machias *Republican*, whose office was burned, Saturday, Dec. 20th, announces that the regular publication of the paper will not be resumed for six or eight weeks.

It is reported that a Boston gentleman has recently been at Calais making arrangements with the Passamaquoddy Indian Polo Club to travel with him and play exhibition and match games in all the cities and towns in New England where there are rinks.

Newspapers and Detectives.

A newspaper is often swifter and surer in the pursuit of a criminal than the laggard agents of the law, as the arrest of the Patterson murderer on Thursday shows. Phipps, the fugitive superintendent of the Philadelphia Almshouse, was recognized, though living under an assumed name, at Hamilton, Ont., by his picture, which the Philadelphia *Press* published the day after his flight from this city. Ten years ago the murder of a traveler on an English railway train during a quick journey from London to the suburbs, was the sensation of the hour. The murderer, a German tailor, was discovered in hiding not far from London by a reporter who had read the newspaper accounts of the crime and a description of the supposed murderer. More remarkable still was the detection of Chastine Cox, the slayer of Mrs. Hull, in Boston four years ago.

William R. Balch, a keen-witted journalist, read in the Boston *Herald's* despatches, one night, a rough description of a colored youth who had been lurking about Mrs. Hull's lodgings in New York some days before the murder. The next morning, on his way to the office, he thought he recognized the fugitive in a slip-shod colored youth shambling up Washington street from the railroad station.

"Can you tell me where Essex street is?" the journalist promptly asked the suspected tramp. "I can't say, sah. I's a stranger here." Having nearly betrayed himself, the murderer was taken on his way to police headquarters, with an officer on his right and the journalist on his left. "Why did you murder Mrs. Hull?" "I didn't; I only choked her," said Cox, but six months later he was hanged in the Tombs Prison for the murder.

James O'Riley, the newsboy on the Paterson accommodation train, got his bundle of morning papers on Thursday, and was among the first to read about the murder of Abraham Garrice, the store-keeper, at Montville, two nights before. "Buy your morning paper?" he shouted, and he stopped halfway through the train, with his eyes riveted on the shrinking, trembling form of the fugitive murderer, Sanford Cross, who was trying to escape from the scene of the crime, after twenty-four hours' hiding. But thousands had read the newspaper description of him, before the police proclamations were printed or even written.

Church Directory.

[All notices for this department must be sent in before 5.30 P. M., on Friday, to secure insertion.]

Morning services in the several churches will begin at 10.30 o'clock, and the evening services at 7 o'clock.

FIRST PARISH CONGREGATIONAL—Broadway, near State, supported by voluntary contributions. Sittings free. Rev. N. H. Harriman, pastor. Residence 102 State street. Morning service at 10.30. Sabbath School at 11.50. The pastor's Bible Class is open to all adults. Evening services at 7.30. Strangers in the city heartily welcome to all the services.

HAMMOND STREET CONGREGATIONAL—Hammond street, corner High. Rev. Henry L. Griffin, Pastor. Services, 10.30 A. M. Communion service 3 P. M. Young People's Meeting, 6.30 P. M. Missionary Concert, 7.30 P. M.

CENTRAL CONGREGATIONAL—French Street, near State. Rev. George W. Field, Pastor. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School immediately following the morning service.

FIRST BAPTIST—Harlow Street, corner Center. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sabbath School immediately following. No service in the afternoon except the first Sunday in each month when the Lord's Supper will be observed. Evening—Young people's prayer meeting at 6.30; general prayer meeting at 7.

SECOND BAPTIST—Columbia Street, Rev. Geo. B. Ilsley, Pastor, residence, 2 Ohio street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Communion service at 3 P. M., the first Sunday of each month. Prayer meeting at 7 P. M.

FIRST FREE BAPTIST—Essex Street, near State. Rev. B. L. Howard, Pastor. Services at 10.30 A. M. Sabbath School at close of service. Sabbath School concert at 7½ P. M., every first Sabbath in the month.

INDEPENDENT CONGREGATIONAL—(Unitarian) Union st., corner Main. Services at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at close of morning service. Rev. Mr. Cressey will supply to-morrow.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH—Corner of Pine and Somerset streets. T. Gerrish, Pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sabbath School at 12. Young People's prayer meeting at 6 P. M. General prayer meeting at 7 P. M.

UNION ST. METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Union st., corner Clinton. Rev. C. B. Besse, Pastor. Services morning and evening. Sunday School following the morning service.

UNIVERSALIST—Park St., near Centre. Rev. Ellery E. Peck, Pastor. Rooms No. 23 Centre street. Regular service every Sunday at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Prayer and Praise meeting at 7.30 P. M. Sunday School Concert the first Sunday evening in every month at 7.30 P. M.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL—French St. Rev. William Allen Fiske, LL. D., Rector. Morning service 10.30 A. M.; Sunday School and Rector's Bible Class, 12 M. Strangers in the city will find a welcome to all the services.

ST. MARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC—Cedar St., corner First. Rev. M. C. O'Brien, Pastor.

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WEST BANGOR CHAPEL.—Preaching service, 2.30 P. M.; Sunday School immediately after.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—West Bangor, Hammond Street. Rev. Uriah Drew, Pastor. Preaching service at 2½ o'clock. Sunday School at the close. Prayer meetings Sunday and Wednesday evenings. Seats free.

EAST BANGOR CONGREGATIONAL—Preaching at 10½ A. M. Prayer meeting at 7½ P. M. Regular weekly prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock.

SECOND FREE BAPTIST—East Bangor. Rev. B. L. Howard. Preaching at 2 P. M. Union Sabbath School at 1 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7½ P. M. Wednesday evening Prayer meeting at 7½. Monthly Conference at 2 o'clock Saturday, preceding the first Sabbath of each month.

HILLSIDE SCHOOL-HOUSE—Sabbath School at 3½ P. M.

ESSEX ST. SCHOOL-HOUSE—Preaching at 2 P. M.

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YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.—Distribution of tracts, &c., among the sailors, 9 A. M. Jail meeting every other Sunday at 9 A. M. Service of Sacred Song for Young Men, in Association Hall at 2.30 P. M. Mass meeting for young men only, in Association Hall at 2.45 P. M. Conversa-

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SECOND CONGREGATIONAL—Brewer Village. Rev. F. E. Shaw, Pastor. Sunday School at 10.30 A. M. Preaching 2.30 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7.30 P. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Main St. Rev. W. W. Marsh, Pastor. Morning service at 10.30, to be followed by Sabbath School.

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Immigration Statistics.

The Chief of the United States Bureau of Statistics has prepared an advance statement of immigration into the United States during the month of November, 1884, and the eleven months ended the same, as compared with the corresponding periods of 1883. During the month of November there arrived in the customs districts of Baltimore, Boston, Detroit, Huron, Minnesota, New Orleans, New York, Passamaquoddy, Philadelphia and San Francisco, 32,599 passengers, of whom 26,637 were immigrants, 4,018 citizens of the United States returned from abroad, and 2,128 aliens, not intending to remain in the United States. The total number of immigrants arrived from the principal foreign countries during the month of November, 1884, and the eleven months ended the same, as compared with the same periods of the previous years, is shown by the following table:

Countries	Nov. 1884	Nov. 1883	11 months ended Nov. 30, 1884	11 months ended Nov. 30, 1883
England and Wales	[illegible]	4,245	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ireland	2,176	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Scotland	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Austria	[illegible]	1,067	12,196	10,416
Germany	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Italy	[illegible]	1,241	13,421	[illegible]
Norway	470	[illegible]	12,566	[illegible]
Sweden	[illegible]	1,654	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dominion of Canada	[illegible]	4,877	43,118	[illegible]
All other countries	1,326	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Law-Breakers to Enforce Laws.

[New York Tribune.]

A. H. Garland was a member of the Arkansas Convention that voted to secede. He was a member of the "Provisional" rebel Congress in May, 1861. He was a member of the Confederate House, and at the close of the war of the Confederate Senate. When Mr. Cleveland has selected this same Mr. Garland to instruct and control all district attorneys and deputy marshals of the United States in the enforcement of the election and other laws, he will soon learn what the loyal people of the country think of such a selection. At present, as Mr. Garland has not yet been appointed Attorney-General, those who choose can indulge in the idea that "Cleveland and reform" does not mean the nationalization of Southern methods of carrying elections.

If it is really intended, however, to import those Southern methods into Northern States, so that the well-trained "gangs" organized by Mr. Cleveland's right-hand man, Senator Gorman, can carry elections in Ohio, as they failed to do last October, it might be as well to remember that there is a public opinion in Northern States which cannot always be defied with safety. Mr. Garland thinks, we presume, that it is quite proper to shoot a few negroes, and to threaten many more, in order to prevent "negro supremacy" in Arkansas or Mississippi. But it might save him some trouble if he would clearly comprehend, once for all, that the favorite Southern methods appear to the Northern people acts of rebellion against the laws and the Constitution of the United States. In the fulness of time there may come a President who will treat such deliberate and forcible violation of the Constitution as a crime. That day will not be put farther off, at any rate, by selecting a leader of the law-breakers to enforce the laws.

As we look over the list of Federal officers in Boston it does not seem difficult to replace them without lowering the standard.—*Herald.*

"Replace them!" why the terms of the Collector, the Surveyor and the Postmaster do not expire for some time. Are they to be removed? If so, why? Have they made themselves obnoxious as "offensive" Republicans? Even the *Herald* seems to understand that clause of the letter of Mr. Cleveland referring to public officials who have made themselves obnoxious to include all who vote the Republican ticket. And yet in another place the *Herald* denounces Republican newspapers which placed this interpretation upon the letter of the President-elect.—*Journal.*

The Boston *Traveller* says: The Jack Bunsby of the Democratic party appears to be Senator Wade Hampton of South Carolina. To reassure the colored men of the South, he announces that "every political right now enjoyed by the negroes will be protected by the Democrats." This is an assurance as is an assurance, since it is just precisely the kind of protection that the negroes fear.

The *Inter-Ocean* says: The ballot-box stuffers in Chicago are beginning to believe that it was not, after all, a little breeze which would soon blow over and be forgotten. The action of the business men of the city will be such that the future political bummer will find some other vent for his rascality than stuffing the ballot-box and forging false entries on tally-lists.

The editor of the Philadelphia *Times* lately paid a visit to Mr. Cleveland. The account of his interview with the President-elect contains the following paragraph:

Mr. Cleveland is a positive believer in practical Civil Service reform. This practical Civil Service reform is likely to be inaugurated by President Cleveland gives little promise to the bulk of the present Federal officers. Cleveland's standard applied to them would dismiss ninety-nine of every hundred of them, for they have, as a rule, flagrantly offended every principle of an honest Civil Service system. The Democratic disappointment will probably be less in the removal of the hosts of Federal officers who have prostituted political power to base partisan uses than in the character of the men who succeed them.

These words furnish an instructive commentary on Mr. Cleveland's recent letter to the Civil Service Reform League.

The Portland *Press*, in collecting indorsements of Cleveland's letter to Curtis, gives a long extract from the Hartford *Courant*, which, however, contains the following pointed reference to the real pith and purpose of the document:

He will favor, however, a general guillotining of those office-holders "who have used their places for party purposes in disregard of their duty to the people." This is an important exception, for it is evident that it *can be made to cover the cases of all* who have taken any part in party politics, which will naturally include *all of any importance*. It is as wide as a door and as deep as a well and *is enough for all purposes*, provided Mr. Cleveland wishes to find an excuse for evading the spirit of the law, which is at present an unwarranted supposition. It will not be possible to *know just how much he means* until he can be judged by his acts, but until that time it will be *charitable to* construe his meaning as Messrs. Curtis and Schurz will construe it.

The Confusion in New York City.

[Boston Journal.]

The spectacle which the conflicting factions and their official representatives in New York City has presented to the country the past ten days is a novel one. The Mayor at first made an appointment for the office of Commissioner of Public Works which the Board of Aldermen for some cause hesitated to confirm. The impression prevailed in some quarters that Commissioner Thompson had "fixed" a portion of the Republican members so that they would not vote to confirm General Porter, while in others it was suspected that the Aldermen, who were silent, were waiting for overtures from the Mayor or some of his friends. Meantime, upon the petition of certain persons claiming to be a contesting Board of Aldermen, an injunction was granted restraining the Aldermen from performing any of the functions of that body. No one who knew the merits of the matter could but believe that this contesting claim was made to keep the Board from confirming the Mayor's nominees.

If this could be done for a week, the head of Commissioner Thompson would be saved. The injunction was dissolved by another Judge who pronounced it fatuous. This was a victory for the Mayor and Tammany. Next, there appeared in several of the anti-Tammany papers reports of "deals" and of jobbery on the part of the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen in connection with the confirmation of Thompson's successor. These reports were made the ground of an injunction to prohibit the Mayor and Aldermen from making further appointments. The legal advisors of the Mayor and board held that the injunction was not legal, but the Judge who heard the petitioners decided not to make a decision until a day after the then Mayor and board had ceased to exist. The object of this injunction was to secure delay. Wednesday Mayor Edson repaired to his office, which was guarded by the police to prevent the service of a precept of the District Attorney, requiring him to appear before the grand jury. He held the fort during the day and evening, got the Aldermen together and sent them a new nominee for Commissioner of Public Works, who was confirmed without a dissenting vote.

All this was done in defiance of the injunction of the courts. The strangest thing about the transaction was that all the Aldermen—Tammanyites, County Democrats and Republicans—voted to confirm Mr. Squire. This is explained on the ground that the County Democrats preferred Mr. Squire to a man who an Alderman like Kirk might appoint while acting as Mayor between midnight Wednesday and noon Thursday, when Mr. Grace would come into the office of Mayor, during which period confirmation would not be necessary. At any rate Squire, a man not known or known to have no capacity for the position, is unanimously made Commissioner of Public Works in defiance of the order of the courts. It is possible that the matter will go into the courts, but they cannot undo any steps to prevent Mr. Squire from taking the office. The question which one in New England naturally asks is: What right have the courts to enjoin any official body whose duties are defined by law from exercising them? If a Judge can enjoin a Board of Aldermen, why may he not enjoin a Legislature or a Congress?

A Frank Confession at Last.

THE COLORED VOTE SUPPRESSED BY FRAUD AND VIOLENCE—BUT THE END JUSTIFIES THE MEANS.

[From the Oxford (Miss.) Falcon, Senator Lamar's Home Organ.]

We must acknowledge that the discussion of political questions is not as free in the South as in some other sections of the country. That is, the Democratic party is so greatly in the majority and pounce upon and criticise so vehemently their opponents that they shrink away in fear and do not express their opinions as freely as where they are not conscious of being in a minority. Any man who opposes the Democrats and advocates a cause which our Democrats carry their election in meets with a hearty condemnation at all hands, especially perchance he be a colored man. Mr. John R. Lynch has recently given expression to his opinion as to how we have elected Cleveland and what will be the result of his election.

And we may now expect the negroes of the State to be all flood and thunder after John R. Lynch, but hurt how it may, he tells the truth in that opinion more than once. He says Mr. Cleveland's election was by fraud, and that fraud was in the South; that as many as twenty-six electoral votes have actually been obtained by the Democratic party through fraud.

It is a great pity that the constitution of our forefathers should bleed, for it is the guardian of our peace and prosperity. It is the boast of an American citizen that, as a sovereign, he sits in judgment upon his rulers and his magistrates; the elective franchise is the foundation stone to our liberties. And yet we of the South live from year to year in violation of these sacred rights. Instances are too numerous for us to deny it. But it has been a Government of our right which has brought us to it, and, as we believe, in this instance the end we were to attain justified the means. Calhoun predicted long before the emancipation that there would be civil conflicts that the negro would be freed; that the South would be vanquished, and that he wished he could live to speak upon the relations of the colored man to the politics of the United States.

He said they would naturally side in alliance and as a solid phalanx with the people of the North and that there would be with them a few profligate whites, who would be seeking the patronage of the Federal Government. Only too true have his predictions proved, and the protection of the people of the South has been their determination to stand together and to have control of their offices of government, although they were forced to sacrifice some of the constitutional rights of their former slaves in the attempt. The Southern people, and in fact none of the Anglo-Saxon race, will submit to be domineered over by any other race of people, and the Northern people cannot realize the truth of this fact because their oppositions are between whites and whites, and not between whites and blacks. We know that there have been numerous election frauds in the South, and that the colored man's vote has not been fairly counted, but we do not think he has yet reared himself to a position where his voice should have equal weight with ours.

The *Utica Herald* is a paper given to moderation of speech, but Mr. Beecher's extraordinary address on Sunday leads it to say:

"Mr. Beecher's apology and explanation to the congregation of Plymouth church for his political conduct during the Presidential campaign would be an incredible performance in any other man. In Henry Ward Beecher we are only saying that it was an entirely natural performance when we describe it as maudlin, incoherent and sentimental. It is the quintessence of slush as applied to the politico-religion, or religio-politics, of a great man gone to seed."

The Buffalo *Times* (Dem.) thinks that Gov. Cleveland's letter will be a disappointment to the civil service reformers. It says:

He assures them, of course, that he will enforce the civil service rules in the appointments embraced in these, according to the law which compels him to do this. About fifteen thousand offices are set apart for this by law. The other ninety thousand offices under the Government, however, he says, will be filled by the appointment of capable men, whose fitness for office is to be determined by those whose duty it will be to inquire into this. But we hardly think that this duty will devolve upon the civil service reformers or upon any but good Democrats. And furthermore the President-elect informs his correspondents that a wholesale removal of the partisan Republican office-holders will surely follow under his administration.

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Not a Game.

Life insurance, when conducted on the proper legitimate principles, is not a game, in which one wins what another loses, but on the contrary, it is an arrangement by which all the insured are benefited ... (the) benefit of their survivors ... property ... can be considered a loser. All ... the sound ... the closest scrutiny ... should ... insurance companies ... —*Argus*

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E. A. CLIFFORD, Special Agent.

CARD.

The members of the Bangor Police force desire to extend their thanks to Maj. W. Z. Clayton, Floor Director, and his aids, for the invaluable assistance ... and to the citizens of Bangor for their liberal patronage ... the success of their annual ball.

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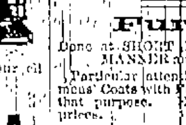

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WM. F. REED, City Marshal.

Water Takers

are reminded that the water tax for the quarter ending the 31st day of December last, became due the first day of October last, and all who have not paid their tax are liable to 10 per cent. addition to the same. As the current quarter and also the year will close this week, it is necessary that all arrearages for water should be paid without further delay.

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Marine Journal.

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CHARLESTON—Ar 31st, sch Clara Fletcher, Sargent, Port Royal.

PORT EADS—Ar 31st, ship Caledonia, Potter, Bath.

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Ar at Carlenas Dec 25th, brig Elizabeth Winslow, Locke, Portland.

Ar at Cardiff Dec 31st, ship Patrician, Jackson, Hamburg.

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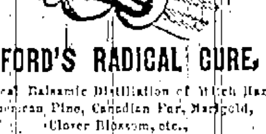

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... sailing of ... Polynesian sailed ... at 2.30 this aft...

... investigating the ... death of Libridge ... who died last sum... circumstances ... Prof. Carmichael ... analyzed the stomach ... examination is ...

... Gardiner, Jan. ... last night ... storehouse ... consumed ... tons of hay belonging ... Geo. W. Dow and ... forty thousand ... The building belong... ... insured. The fire ... by tramps.

... Marshal Trice, of ... burglars and ... Lewiston, Jan. ... Hallowell, arrested ... Norway burglars ... Mechanic Falls ... track and ... the trade, having made sharp ... with them to Norway ... names given ... month; P. Burns ... W. Ross, Montreal ... Norway, Jan. 2. ... Mason's hardware ... the names of ... Wm. Ross ... Hallowell ... Lewiston to Portland ... Norway to-day ... as they fought ...

... Augusta, Jan. ... port of the Maine ... culture and Mechanic ... the following ... appropriated $2,500 ... and partial ... workshops ... The Legislature ... $2,400 for ... 1883 and 1884 ... the ... contractors ... The ... report shows receipts ... tures, $1,... $811.10. The ... total receipts ... disbursements ... Dec. 1, 1884 ... Mr. B. S. Pinder ... New England ... position ... regard to ... in forwarding ... Orleans Exposition.

The Alabamas defeat ... Augustas Def...

Portland, Jan. ... League game ... Deerings ... the ... opponents ...

Augusta ... the Lewistons ... of polo ... to 1, ...

Death of a Former ...

New York ... Patten ... Brooklyn ... formerly edited ... began ... the Leisure Hour ...

Brig Daisy Boynton ... Safe in ...

Philadelphia, ... Boynton ... which ... last ... putting at Bermuda.

THE SPANISH ... Resolutions of the ...

Boston, Jan. 2. ... ing of the New England ... sociation ... this afternoon ... was discussed ... tions adopted: Whereas, It is ... the government ... States that ... their commercial ... certain treaty ... Cortes and now ... honorable Senate ... Resolved, That ... owners' Association ... lished ... gotiations of reciprocity ... foreign government ... doing ... would be ... Resolved, That ... posed treaty ... tended with ... heartily endorse ... mendation that ... possessions be ... the benefits of ... privileges to the ... lined to vessels ... United States and ...

A MI[NNESOTA] ...

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St. Paul, Jan. ... citement at Chaska ... the arrest of Dr. ... physician of that ... snatching. Paul ... ther and a fellow ... College Hospital ... overtaken by the ...

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MAINE NEWS.

FROM PORTLAND.

Sailing of the Polynesian.

PORTLAND, Jan 2. The Allan steamer Polynesian sailed for Liverpool via Halifax at 2.00 this afternoon.

FROM BATH.

Investigating the Cause of a Mysterious Death.

BATH, Jan. 2. The coroner's jury is in session here investigating the cause of the death of Eldridge Randall of Topsham, who died last summer under suspicious circumstances, leaving a large property. Prof. Carmichael, of Bowdoin College, has analyzed the stomach and will testify. The examination is private.

FROM GARDINER.

Storehouse and Contents Burned.

GARDINER, Jan. 2. At ten o'clock last night fire was discovered in a large storehouse at the freight yard of the Maine Central Railroad Company. It was entirely consumed, together with sixty tons of hay belonging to Samuel Ayer, to W. Dow and B. [illegible] Clark, and forty thousand hoop poles owned by [illegible]. The building belonged to the railroad company and was insured at $1,800, probably insured. The fire was undoubtedly caused by tramps.

BURGLARS AT NORWAY.

Marshal True, of Hallowell, Captures the Burglars and Recovers the Stolen Goods.

LEWISTON, Jan. 2. Marshal True, of Hallowell, arrested last night the suspected Norway burglars. He traced them to Mechanic Falls, by [illegible], then lost the track and [illegible] homeward, the evening train. At Lisbon Falls the fellows came on the train, having walked there. They made sharp resistance. Marshal True went with them to Norway this morning. The names given are Thomas Burns, Portsmouth, P. Harlington, Gorham, N. H., W. Ross, Montreal.

NORWAY, Jan 2. Three burglars who entered Huntington's clothing house and Mason's hardware store Wednesday night, giving the names of Thomas Burns, Portsmouth, N. H.; Phillip Harlington, Gorham, N. H.; William Ross, Montreal, P. Q., were arrested by City Marshal [illegible] True, of Hallowell, on the midnight train from Lewiston to Portsmouth, and brought to Norway today, where they will be arraigned. Conductor Cobb rendered assistance as they fought desperately. Most of the stolen goods were recovered.

FROM AUGUSTA.

The State College.

AUGUSTA, Jan 2. From the annual report of the Maine State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts for the year ending November [illegible], 1884, is [illegible] the following: The Legislature of 1883 appropriated $2,500 for the construction and partial equipment of the building for workshop. With this a [illegible] wooden structure was erected 56x30, two stories high, with ell 5x24, one story high, the entire building being 112 feet in length. The Legislature is asked to appropriate $12,490 for the needs of the College for 1885 and 1886, and the sum of $17,000 is asked for to erect a new building for the department of Natural History and Agriculture.

The total number of students the past year was 86. The Treasurer's report shows receipts, $14,[illegible], expenditures $4,[illegible], total value of [illegible] $[illegible]; expenditures for [illegible] $1140. The Treasurer's report places the total receipts of the college at $11,800, disbursements, $11,[illegible]; amount on hand Dec. 1, 1884, $2,02[illegible]. The total resources of the College [illegible].

Maine at the Exposition.

Mr. B. S. Pullen, special Commissioner for New England at the New Orleans Exposition, was in the city this forenoon and had a long conference with Gov. Robie in regard to the means to be [illegible] by Maine in forwarding her interests at the New Orleans Exposition.

POLO.

The Alamedas defeat the Deerings and the Augustas Defeat the Lewistons.

PORTLAND, Jan 1. In the Maine Polo League game at the Bijou rink this evening, the Alamedas of Bath defeated the Deerings, three straight goals, in eleven minutes. The visitors outplayed their opponents at every point.

AUGUSTA, Jan 2. The Augustas beat the Lewistons at every point in the game of polo to night, winning by a score of 3 to 1, time thirty minutes.

Death of a Former Skowhegan Editor.

NEW YORK, Jan 2. Mr. Joseph T. Patten, a native of Skowhegan, died in Brooklyn, yesterday, aged 55. Mr. Patten formerly edited a newspaper at Skowhegan, and in his later years was editor of the Leisure Hours magazine in New York.

Brig Daisy Boynton, of Eastport—She Arrives Safe in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan, 2. The brig Daisy Boynton, owned by New England parties, which some time ago was given up for lost and more recently was reported repairing at Bermuda, arrived here to-day.

THE SPANISH TREATY.

Resolutions of the New England Ship-owners' Association.

BOSTON, Jan 2. At an adjourned meeting of the New England Ship owners' Association, held at the Merchants Exchange this afternoon, the new Spanish treaty was discussed and the following resolutions adopted:

Whereas, It is proposed by a [illegible] between the governments of Spain and the United States that a change should be made in their commercial relations, for which a certain treaty has passed the Spanish Cortes and now is being considered by the honorable Senate of the United States:

Resolved, That the New England Ship-owners' Association, in convention assembled, hail with great satisfaction the negotiations of reciprocal treaties with all foreign governments believing that by so doing our much depressed commerce would be revived in all its branches.

Resolved, That having read the proposed treaty with Spain for reciprocal trade, with care and attention, we most heartily endorse the same with the recommendation that the Spanish East India possessions be allowed to participate in all the benefits of this treaty and that the privileges to the carrying trade be confined to vessels built and owned in the United States and Spain.

MINNESOTA.

Body Snatchers Arrested.

ST. PAUL, Jan 2. There is intense excitement at Chaska, Carver County, over the arrest of Dr. Shillock, a prominent physician of that place, charged with body snatching. Paul Shillock, the doctor's brother and a fellow student at Minneapolis College Hospital, it is alleged, have been overtaken by the sheriff and posse.

FROM WASHINGTON.

News About the Capital.

Charges Against General McKeever Ignored.

WASHINGTON, Jan 2. It is understood that Lieut. Gen. Sheridan has replied to Gen Hazen, informing him that no official notice can be taken of the informal charges which he preferred some days ago against Gen McKeever.

Assistance to General Grant.

Cyrus W. Field received to-day from D. B. Wesson, of the firm of Smith & Wesson, of Springfield, Mass., a check for $1,000 his contribution towards the fund being raised for the relief of Gen Grant.

The Fortification Appropriations.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2. The Sub-Committee of the House Committee on Appropriations having in charge the fortifications appropriations, intends to report to the full committee the same measure reported to the House of Representatives by the majority of the appropriations Committee at the last session of Congress. The minority members of the committee at the same time reported a substitute which passed the bill agreed to by the majority of the committee provided for appropriation of about $7,000,000. Of this amount, $1,000,000 was intended for construction of the works for the defence of Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Hampton Roads, New Orleans and San Francisco, $300,000 for the preservation and improvement of fortifications, $179,000 for torpedoes, $600,000 for armament of the sea coast and $1,000,000 annually for five years for procurement of heavy steel [illegible] and carriages for the armament of deep water ports of the United States. Mr. Randall prepared the minority bill which appropriated $1,000,000 for preserving the present works of defence.

In making an argument in favor of this measure before the House of Representatives he said the Secretary of War had not recommended any appropriation for additional defences. The Secretary has, however, in his estimates sent to the Appropriations Committee this year recommended the appropriation of $[illegible] for works of defence and fortifications and it is upon this recommendation that the sub-Committee report the bill providing for the appropriation.

Public Debt Statement.

The debt statement issued to-day shows the increase of the public debt during December to be $[illegible]; decrease of the debt since June 30, 1884, $[illegible].

Secretary McCulloch said to-day, with regard to the slight increase of public debt shown by the December statement, that it is due not so much to any unusual expenditure during the month as to the fact that there has been a great falling off in receipts for the past two months. The treasury, he says, has been feeling the effects of the general depression of business all over the country, and the revenues have generally decreased. He says, however, the indications are that the [illegible] for January show a diminution of the public debt [illegible].

Paymaster Smythe Makes Good His Deficit—The Result of a Spree.

Paymaster W. H. Smythe, who disappeared from Savannah, Ga., with $570 of government funds, appeared at the War Department to-day and voluntarily gave up. [illegible] and $[illegible] was paid by a friend, making the full amount of $4,500. Mr. Smythe says he went off on a spree on Christmas day and knew nothing of his acts until he found himself in New York. He is a son of John H. Smythe, ex-Superintendent of Insurance of the State of New York.

Gen. Grant Physically Broken Down.

A prominent government official says that when in New York a few days ago he called to see Gen Grant. He says that Gen. Grant had driven out that day and that he was completely broken down physically and required absolute rest.

NEW YORK.

Killed by a Policeman's Club.

NEW YORK, Jan 2. A policeman while endeavoring to [illegible] a wounded man, [illegible] according to the police, was obliged to [illegible] his club, and [illegible]. The man died after being taken to the station. An investigation is being held.

Corporation Organized.

The [illegible] were granted to [illegible] Business [illegible] during the [illegible] month [illegible] [illegible] incorporations were [illegible] total capital [illegible] $1,522,72[illegible].

Denial of Mr. Hurd's Statement.

ALBANY, Jan. 2. Gov. Cleveland said to-night that the statement made by Mr. Hurd at Cincinnati that he was the President of a free trade club, was not true. The Governor further stated he had never been connected in any way with any such an organization.

RHODE ISLAND.

Killed by the Cars.

PROVIDENCE, Jan 2. William M. [illegible], fifty years old, was struck by the New York and New England [illegible] near Abbott Run station, on the line between Valley Falls and Franklin, and instantly killed.

RAILROAD NEWS.

"A New Broom Sweeps Clean"—All Salaries Cut by the President Reduced.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2. Yesterday was spent by a meeting in the [illegible] by a large body of the employes of the Erie Railway, who had been [illegible] connected with the [illegible] and had been ordered cut on. Wm. Lasdan [illegible]. Among these were J. H. Harrenbergh, purchasing agent; C. D. Atterbury, attorney; [illegible], assistant secretary; H. R. Duval, manager of Great Western Dispatch; G. W. Cathart, manager of the foreign freight department and E. N. Frisbee, [illegible] agent. All the salaries of the entire length of the road except the Presidents, were reduced some 20 per cent., beginning yesterday. A large number of the department, were permanently closed and the new President even discharged the old scrub women, and decided that if the [illegible] in the building, where the general offices are would not keep [illegible] he would not.

The Erie Railroad Company Default Payment.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2. The Erie R. R. Company to-day defaulted its interest amounting to $74,000 on second "G. I. Cu Trusts," also in the principal due on the same Cur trust of $[illegible],000.

A Cut Down in Wages.

JERSEY CITY, Jan 2. Orders have been issued by the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Company making sweeping reductions in wages on the New Jersey Central division. The reduction affects the men, [illegible] engineers, firemen, baggagemasters and brakemen. No trouble is feared.

A Tunnel Fired by a Mob.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 2. [illegible] fired the Bristol Tunnel on the Shawnee Division of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad this morning and nearly 300 feet [illegible], necessitating a transfer of passengers. The guard were run off by the mob and it is thought that dynamite was used. The loss to the company will reach thousands of dollars. [illegible] O'Donnell was arrested at Newark while arranging for the transportation of arms to [illegible] and destroying the property.

CANADA.

Goods Seized for Undervaluation.

OTTAWA, Jan 2. A United States firm recently erected an establishment for the manufacture of roller skates at Cornwall, Ont. Some of the material used was imported from the States at an undervaluation of 40 per cent. The Customs Department seized the goods.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

The Drought and Fires—Rebellion in Santander.

PANAMA, Jan. 2. Everybody here believes that the dry season now commenced will be prolific in fires. A catastrophe occurred on Sunday last by which about sixty thatched huts were burned at Gatgona, [illegible] village on the line of the canal works.

Some heavy fighting has taken place in the State of Santander. The rebels, commanded by General [illegible], were defeated with severe loss. The Federal troops sided with the State Government and thus assured victory.

FIRE RECORD.

Glen Woolen Mills Burned.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Jan. 2. The main building of the Glen woolen mill burned this morning, loss, $100,000, fully insured. It was a three story wooden structure, and made fancy [illegible]. The fire is still burning.

The mill employed 125 hands, with a pay roll of $4,000 per month. Total insurance $100,000, which covers the loss.

Residence Burned—A Man Dies of Suffocation.

MARQUETTE, Mich., Jan 2. The residence of Hon. Horatio Seymour, Jr., was burned last night. James Crowley, sleeping in the basement, died of suffocation.

PENNSYLVANIA.

The Coal Interest.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 2. It is stated that all the interests involved in the coal combination under the allotment plan will accept the percentages given them except the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and that the others will work irrespective of that company.

John McCulloch's Narrow Escape.

John McCulloch, the actor, narrowly escaped being run over by a railroad train at Broad street last night. In attempting to get on a moving train his foot slipped and he fell beneath it, but was snatched from death by his [illegible], colored attendant.

THE NEW YORK ALDERMEN.

Who is Corporation Counsel?

NEW YORK, Jan 2. D. Henry Lacombe, who claims to be the legally appointed Corporation Counsel, has begun proceedings in the Superior Court, against Edward T. Wood, Mayor Edson's brother-in-law, who also lays claim to the office of Corporation Counsel, to test his title to the position. Lacombe claims that he was legally appointed by Acting Mayor Sanger, while Wood puts in a similar claim to the office by the appointment of Acting Mayor Kirk. Judge Truax yesterday granted an injunction restraining Mr. Wood from entering and taking possession of the office of Counsel to the Corporation or any of the books, papers and accounts connected with it until after his title to the position shall have been finally determined in proper proceedings in court and from acting as Counsel to the Corporation in advance of such determination.

The office of the Corporation Counsel was carefully guarded to-day by police officers. Mayor Grace said to-day that he regarded the nomination of Col. Wood as illegal and that as soon as possible he would appoint Mr. Lacombe or some one else as Counsel to the Corporation.

The Commissioner of Public Works.

Rollin M. Squire appeared at the Department of Public Works to-day and made a formal demand for possession of the office. Mr. Thompson replied that he was not prepared to forcibly dispute Mr. Squire's possession of the office and would not endeavor to do so but by permitting Squire to take peaceable possession of the office he (Thompson) did not forfeit his surrender of his rights which he some [illegible] Mr. Thompson then [illegible] Mr. Squire to the [illegible] of [illegible].

Alderman Waite Elected President.

At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen to-day Mr. Waite was elected president pro tem and Thos. P. Walsh was elected to succeed Ald [illegible] Kirk in the Board, Mr. Kirk's office becoming vacant when he became Mayor, yesterday. Adolph Sanger, President of the new Board of Aldermen, who was in attendance, submitted a communication in which he claimed to be President of the Board then in session and demanded his seat, no notice of this was taken other than ordering it filed and the Board adjourned.

A Proposition Offered.

The only new development in the local political [illegible] this afternoon, was in the shape of a proposition offered by the counsel of Col. Wood, who was appointed Counsel to the Corporation by President of Board [illegible] Alderman Kirk, who acted as Mayor from Dec 31st to January 1st. Messrs. Dudley Field, Robert Sewall and Hugh L. Cole, as counsel for Col. Wood, offered to [illegible] to an agreed case and to present it to the general term of the Supreme Court. The unsuccessful party can appeal the case and have a decision by the end of this month. Col. Wood's representatives say if this proposition is accepted the principal will take no steps towards asserting his rights until the final decision is reached. Lacombe said he would probably make known his answer to-morrow.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Strike Against Reduction of Pay.

NORTH ADAMS, Jan 2. A hundred weavers at Johnson's mill struck this morning on account of ten per cent reduction in wages. It is expected that all hands will go out to-morrow.

On the Governor's Staff.

BOSTON, Jan 2. Gov. Robinson has appointed John D. Stearns, of Waltham, Assistant Quarter Master General on his staff, with the rank of Colonel.

Another Ice Accident—Two Girls and a Boy Drowned.

WORCESTER, Jan 2. On Wednesday while children were playing on the ice at Marchburg, Sutton, it broke through and two girls of Mitchell Vincent and a son of Levi Dubow, aged 9 to 11 years, were drowned.

Accidentally Killed.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Jan. 2. James Connell, 21 years old, son of John Connell, was killed this morning at Wamsutta mills station by a bale of manufactured goods striking him while walking on the sidewalk.

A One-armed Carrier Frozen to Death.

SPRINGFIELD, Jan 2. Sherman Coleman of Westfield, a one armed paper carrier and a member of the Lyon Post, G. A. R., was frozen to death last night.

Still Tramping.

BOSTON, Jan 2. Under the tramp law passed by the last Legislature, all tramps known to be vagrants and who were found at the State Alms House in Tewksbury were to be taken to the nearest Police Court and sentenced to the State Institution at Bridgewater. While arrangements were being made to have thirty of the vagrants tried and sentenced, all but six made their escape. Not very great efforts have been made for their recapture. The remaining six will be taken to Lowell for arraignment to-morrow.

Singing to Big Houses.

The opera of Semiramide, with Patti and Scalchi in the leading roles was given to-night before the largest audience ever known during the opera season in this city.

Gloucester Fisheries.

GLOUCESTER, Jan 2. From a summary of the Gloucester fish products for 1884, as compiled by the Cape Ann Advertiser, the following figures are taken. Total receipts of cod during the year, 58,246,200 pounds, an increase over 1883 of 260,700 pounds. The principal features of note are, the comparative failures of the Western Bank cod fishery, which has fallen off during the year from 14,460,000 pounds to 5,[illegible],000; the absolute decay of the Cape North fishery and the handsome success of the Cape Shore and George's fleet.

The total product of the halibut fishery was 9,020,265 pounds as compared with 7,258,938 pounds in 1883. Mackerel catch, 223,343 barrels as against 105,116 barrels last year. The total receipts of frozen herring were 18,055,000, a decrease of 2,154,000 from the previous year. Prices have ruled low and the profits have been much less than for many years past.

ILLINOIS.

Another Attempt to Control the Legislature—A Seat to be Contested.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 2. Cornelius McAuliff to-day filed with the Secretary of State formal notice of the contest against Henry S. Boutelle, Eugene A. Sittig, and Stephen F. Sullivan, who have been granted certificates of election as representatives to the General Assembly from the 6th Senatorial district. He declares that he has received more votes than either of the above named. Should this contest stand, it will unseat either Boutelle or Sittig, Republican representatives, Sullivan, Democrat, being the minority representative. McAuliff's district embraced the second precinct of the 18th ward, Chicago, where the alleged frauds occurred.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

Loss of Clipper Schooner Minia.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Jan, 2. Capt. Brayle telegraphs that the clipper schooner Minia parted her cables and was driven on the rocky southeast ledge, split her pieces and sunk. No lives lost.

Total Wreck of a Steamer.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan 2. It is reported that the steamer Peter Cooper, from Annapolis for Philadelphia, struck a sunken wreck and sunk off Turkey Point, Chesapeake Bay. The vessel will be a total loss.

OHIO.

What Frank Hurd Says he Did Say.

TOLEDO, Jan. 2. Frank Hurd, this morning denied that he ever said that Cleveland was President of the first free trade club organized in this country. What he did say was that a free trade club was organized in the office of Bissell & Cleveland.

FROM HONGKONG AND YOKOHAMA.

Germans Drilling the Chinese.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2. Steamer City of Pekin brings Hong Kong dates to Dec. 3d and Yokohama dates to 13th. The Chinese government have engaged fifty-five German drill sergeants for their army, and the improvement manifested in the discipline of troops is said to be remarkable. It is expected that under German drill the Chinese will show themselves to be excellent soldiers and fighters.

CRIME AND ITS CONSEQUENCES.

A Burglar Shot Dead by a Watchman.

BRADFORD, Pa., Jan 2. At Chaneysville in this county, last night Sim. Gullick broke into the store of F. A. Laskey, and while robbing the money drawer was shot and instantly killed by John Gordon, the watchman in the store. Gordon came here to-day to surrender himself but has not been taken into custody.

Probably Fatal Result of Rowdyism.

While Mrs. Schmitz, with her husband and six children, was looking out of the window of her house, New Year's eve, waiting to hear the bell toll at midnight, a party of [illegible] passed under the window and began firing off revolvers. Mrs. Schmitz fell to the floor unconscious and it was found that a bullet had struck her squarely in the eye. There is little hope of her recovery. No arrests have been made.

A Man's Head Crushed with an Axe.

ROCKFORD, Ills., Jan 2. Mr. and Mrs. Becker and two young Germans became intoxicated at Stillman last night and a row ensued, during which Becker was struck on the head with an axe. His skull was broken and his jaw horribly smashed. He died this morning.

Fatally Beaten and Kicked.

MATTITUCK, L. I., Jan. 2. Charles McCarthy and Phillip Monahan, both of Dublin, [illegible], had a quarrel on his way to this place last evening. Monahan was knocked senseless by McCarthy and will probably die. Monahan was horribly kicked by his assailant, one eye being kicked from his head. McCarthy escaped.

Arrested on Suspicion.

NEW YORK, Jan 2. Joseph and P. [illegible] White were arrested to-day on suspicion of having been concerned in the death of David Scott, which occurred this morning, some time after Scott had been found in the street.

THE COLD IN THE WEST.

The Coldest Day on Record.

ST. PAUL, Jan 2. This is the coldest day of the winter and the coldest on record in this city. The thermometer in the Signal Office this morning was 35° below. The following is the record from different points, all indicating a temperature below zero: Still water 60, the coldest ever known; Huron, 21; Bismarck, 40, and the wind blowing 40 miles an hour. Winnipeg, and [illegible] blizzard; Moorhead, 29; Helena, [illegible]; Huron, 11, and Duluth 30.

FOREIGN NEWS.

A Present to the Widow of Captain Webb.

LONDON, Jan. 2. The widow of Captain Webb, recently drowned while attempting to swim the whirlpool at Niagara Falls, was presented yesterday with a purse of £175.

Another Dynamite Explosion.

LONDON, Jan. 2. A dynamite explosion occurred on the Underground Railroad, between Tower street and King's Cross station, at 9.30 this evening. The windows of the passing train were shattered and the gas lights extinguished. The passengers were greatly terrified, but no one was hurt. The train resumed the journey after a delay of twenty five minutes.

ODDS AND ENDS.

The Sub-Committee appointed to investigate the conduct of Marshall Wright, at the Ohio October election will begin Monday next at Cincinnati.

The general manager of the Erie fast freight lines has appointed S. L. Sheph[illegible] to represent the Erie lines in New England, with headquarters at Boston.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2 [illegible]

Indications.

For New England, fair weather, northerly winds becoming variable, slight fall followed by slowly rising temperature.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2. Money at [illegible] per [illegible]. Mercantile paper 4 [illegible]. [illegible] for short [illegible]. Governments [illegible]. Securities closed at the following:

[illegible]

The following are the closing prices of railroad [illegible]:

[illegible]

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2. FLOUR — receipts 27,[illegible]; exports [illegible]; sales, 17,[illegible]; No 2 [illegible]; superfine Western and State, [illegible]; common to good extra Western and State, [illegible]; good to choice extra [illegible]; common to good extra Ohio, 2.90 [illegible]; common to choice extra St. Louis, [illegible]; City mill extra, 4.40 @ 4.50, winter wheat [illegible]; Minnesota extra, [illegible]; common to fair [illegible]; good to choice [illegible].

WHEAT—sales 36,000 bus; No. 2 Spring, [illegible]; elevator; No. 2 Red [illegible] elevator, 85¾ a 85⅞; No. 1 Red, State [illegible]; No. 2 Red [illegible]; sales 80,700; State, 87a90; Western [illegible].

BARLEY steady — sales 10,000; No. 2 Canada, 70a[illegible].

CORN higher — sales 100,000; No. 3, [illegible]; No. 2 [illegible]; white, 51a50; [illegible] Southern, 56.

OATS lower—sales 72,000; No. 3, 35¾; No. 2 white, [illegible]; No. 2, [illegible]; No. 1 white, 38; mixed Western, 34 a 36; white do 36a39¾; white State [illegible].

SUGAR dull — Standard A, 5⅝ a 5¾; granulated, 5⅞ a [illegible]; powdered, [illegible]; cut loaf [illegible]; confectioners [illegible].

MOLASSES — [illegible] — Orleans [illegible]; [illegible] 75 a 00, refined, [illegible].

PORK — [illegible] — Mess, 12.50 a [illegible]; family mess, [illegible].

LARD — [illegible] steam, 7.00, [illegible]; refined, [illegible].

BUTTER — [illegible] — Creamery, 22a24, State, 16a24.

CHEESE — [illegible] — Western, [illegible], State, [illegible].

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2. Flour steady. WHEAT — Regular, 78¾ a 78⅞, No. 2 Chicago [illegible]; No. 2 Red, [illegible]. CORN — [illegible] 34¾ a 34⅞. OATS — 27¾ a 27⅞. RYE — [illegible]. BARLEY — [illegible]. PORK — [illegible]. LARD — [illegible].

Benj. Morrow, Searsport's oldest citizen, died Monday morning. December 20th. He celebrated his 90th birthday on Dec. [illegible].

LOCAL MATTERS.

J. H. Eveleth, Esq., of Greenville, was at the Penobscot Exchange yesterday.

A ladies' silk mitten has been found on the street which the owner can have by calling at this office.

The January (civil) term of the Supreme Court begins here next Tuesday, Chief Justice Peters presiding.

Mr. George H. Richardson, of Oldtown, has taken the position of shipping clerk in the pulp mill at Great Works.

The carriers of the Whig desire to return thanks to our patrons for their kind remembrance of them on New Years Day.

Messrs. D. Sargent's Sons, Brewer Village are building an elevator at their ice houses to facilitate their ice harvesting.

The cold weather yesterday brought gladness to the hearts of the ice and lumbermen. The latter are now expecting snow.

There was a very pleasant private assembly at Union Hall last evening. Music was furnished by the Bangor Cadet Band.

Nettie L. Colson has been appointed postmistress at Great Pond, Albert W. McFar at Hartland, and George B. Smith at Webster.

The Bible class for the study of the International Sunday School Lessons meets as usual this evening at half past seven in the First Baptist Chapel.

The steamer Longfellow arrived at Mount Desert Ferry at three o'clock yesterday afternoon. She had about forty passengers and three cars of freight.

John S. Heald, Esq., of Portland, George W. Ross, Esq., of Boston, the Casino Polo Club and the Lake Megantic surveying party, were at the Windsor Hotel yesterday.

A horse owned by Byron Roberts, Esq., of this city slipped on Kenduskeag bridge yesterday afternoon and fell in such a manner as to require the aid of several men to lift him.

The train from Mount Desert Ferry was about one hour late last night owing to a long wait at the Ferry for the loading of the freight and passengers from the steamer Longfellow.

The children's Christmas festival at St. John's Episcopal church will be held in the vestry of the church on Tuesday evening, January 6th, at [illegible]. A general invitation is extended.

Pupils of the Abbott Square Grammar school who failed to take one or more of the examinations at the close of the past term are requested to meet the principal at his office this afternoon at two o'clock.

We regret to learn that Moses M. Hastings, [illegible] who was so seriously injured at his place of business on Exchange street a few weeks ago, was able to sit up for the first time yesterday afternoon.

Six horses and two oxen went to Greenville yesterday morning on the Bangor & Piscataquis. They were bound for the woods and were owned by Messrs. John Ross, Morrison & Hunting and E. D. Sutherland.

Penobscot Lodge of Odd Fellows, of this city, are now arranging for a grand ball and supper and dance to be given January 14th. It is to be expected that an entertainment will be given at the same time. The affair is expected to be very pleasant.

Seven cars of hop poles have been shipped within the past few days from Oldtown to New York. A large number are also being shipped from Lagrange, Enfield and Lincoln. Mr. M. B. Pinkham, of Lincoln, has charge of the work on this line of the Maine Central.

The Whig extends thanks to Mrs. John F. Robinson for a very pretty broom case on which is [illegible] one of her beautiful embroideries, which has gained for her such a high reputation. Mrs. Robinson has a number of pupils and they consider her instruction are becoming very proficient in the needlework.

The following are the officers elected by L. G. Hibbs Camp, No. 29, Sons of Veterans: [illegible] Haven [illegible] at the headquarters of the Maine Division, in this city. James H. McIntosh, Captain; P. G. Libby, 1st Lieut.; James P. Armhurst, 2d Lieut.; J. H. Morton, [illegible]; S. Hall and F. R. Sweetser, Camp Council.

Fifth Hose Company No. 8 have chosen the following officers for the ensuing year: Foreman, Wm. McCarty; First Assistant Foreman, R. S. Davis; Second Assistant Foreman, W. C. Bird; Clerk and Treasurer, A. L. Hills; Assistant Clerk, J. B. White; Steward, S. D. Libby; Assistant Steward, Michael Sheehan; Standing Committee, John Conn[illegible], Isaac B[illegible], Horace Smith.

The first of the course of young folks assemblies took place in Music Hall last evening and was a very enjoyable affair. Fine music was furnished by Andrews and there were fourteen dances. The programmes were very unique and pretty. The following gentlemen were floor managers: W. A. Pierce, Charles E. Glass, D. A. Lewis, and John F. Woodman. The course promises to be very largely attended.

KATAHDIN ENCAMPMENT, No. 4, I. O. O. F. The following officers were installed last evening by G. F. Godfrey, D. D. G. P. of Oldtown: F. H. Thompson, C. P.; C. W. Brown, H. P.; L. Kellen, S. W.; A. N. Yeaton, Scribe; H. O. Pierce, Treasurer; O. S. Gilmore, J. W.; H. B. Thoms, O. S.; L. N. Cluff, I. S.; P. Bachelder, Guide; G. H. Hutchins, 1st W.; T. H. Arnold, 2d W.; C. A. Blethen, 3d W.; J. P. Todd, 4th W.; W. E. Munson, 1st G. of T.; H. P. York, 2d G. of T.

OFFICERS INSTALLED. The following officers of B. H. Beale Post 12, G. A. R., were installed Thursday evening by Post Commander C. V. Crossman: P. C., James E. McKenney; S. V. C., Charles L. Getchell; J. V. C., John C. Honey; Adjutant, John B. Bridges; Q. M., Simeon A. Hupworth; Surgeon, H. F. Hanson; Chaplain, J. C. Bowen; O. D., C. I. Getchell; O. G., Joseph Green; Q. M. S., William Patterson; S. M., Otis Gilmore. After the installation the boys set down to an oyster supper. Interesting remarks were made by the new Post Commander and others of the officers-elect.

A WELL PRESERVED BULLET. We were shown yesterday by Mr. Samuel Gilmore, of Holden, quite a curiosity in the shape of a bone. It seems that more than two years ago William S. Gilmore, Mr. Gilmore's son was out hunting and shot at a wild goose bringing it down, the shot striking one of the bones of the wing. He carried the goose to his home alive and the wound was healed and the goose domesticated. Last Thanksgiving it was killed and the lead of the bullet was found imbedded in the bone. The material composing the bone had grown out almost around the lead and hardened perfectly. The bird had always been able to use the wing freely and it was not supposed that there was any lead in the wing.

The Bangor police return thanks for favors received at their ball.

There will be a skating matinee at Union Hall from 2½ to 5 o'clock and a public skating party from 7½ to 10 o'clock.

The annual meeting of the Children's Home will be held at the Common Council room on Tuesday next at 2 o'clock P. M.

The annual meeting of the Bangor Humane Society will be held at the Common Council room on Tuesday afternoon next at 4 o'clock.

During the month of December the Bangor letter carriers collected 48,893 letters, 13,085 postal cards and 2,813 newspapers. Total number of pieces collected 65,391. In the same period they delivered 45,093 letters, 23,935 papers, 9,613 postal cards. Total number of pieces delivered 79,261. Total number of pieces handled 144,652.

WINTERPORT NEWS. Our correspondent writes: The loss by fire on F. C. Arey's store was $7,000, and it was insured in Kendall & Field's agency at Belfast for $4,000. It was impossible to save the store, but the safe and one hundred barrels of flour, by hard exertions, were saved. The cause of the fire is supposed to be incendiary. The Winterport Hotel and the store of Mr. Walter Haley, together with two dwelling houses above the store were considerably damaged, but were saved after a hard struggle. The hotel was insured in Pattee's agency at Belfast and Mr. Haley's store was insured in J. S. Ricker & Son's agency at Bangor.—Mr. Lawry, of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Walker, of this place.

OFFICERS INSTALLED. The semi-annual installation of officers of Star of the East Council No. 11, Order of United Fellowship occurred Thursday evening at the United Fellowship Hall. The installation exercises were conducted by G. A. Winchester, Deputy Supreme Director, assisted by Mrs. J. W. Sleeper. The officers installed were as follows: J. F. Lovenseller, Director; Emma A. Mayville, Instructor; A. H. Billings, Secretary; G. H. Boswell, Collector; Gardner Brigdon, Treasurer; Katie Flynn, Guide; Isabella Witham, Warden; Henry B. Wood, Sentinel; J. F. Lovenseller, Gardner Brigdon, Trustees; Social Committee, J. F. Lovenseller, Otis Gray, Abbie Wood, Katie Flynn.

ACTION FOR DAMAGES. We understand that an action for damages will be brought by Messrs. Stratton & Engel of Bangor, against the mill owners at this point and others on the line of the Piscataquis river, for not providing sluiceways for logs. Last spring the above parties had a large drive of logs driven down the river, and now claim to have been damaged greatly by the delay in detaching them from the dams and ledges. At this place provision was made to receive the drive, booms stretching along to the edge of the dams, but the deepest places in the river the mills were shut down and some of the mill owners rendered all possible aid to the river-drivers. Our [illegible] believe the [illegible] for action [illegible] and there [illegible] they will be [illegible] by the courts under the circumstances.—*Piscataquis Observer*.

NOROMBEGAS VS. CASINOS. The game of polo at the rink last evening between the Norombegas of this city, and the Casinos of Bar Harbor, was won by the latter club. The Norombegas showed the lack of practice very much and could not expect to beat a club like the Casinos who practice all the time while they had never played a game together. The Casinos won the first goal, the Norombegas the second and the Casinos the third and fourth and the game. Two exhibition goals were played, the Norombegas taking the first and the Casinos the second. The actual time of the game was thirty-six minutes. Charles Conners, the first rusher of the Casinos, won all the rushes and led to the surprise of the audience. The game was refereed in a very acceptable manner by Mr. James P. [illegible]. The Casinos are good polo players and gentlemen and Bangor people who take an interest in the game would be glad to see them here again.

A BAD STORM. J. F. Stewart & Co., of this city, have received a letter from Capt. A. P. [illegible] of the brig Clara Jenkins at St. Thomas. The Clara Jenkins sailed from Penobscot Bay Nov. 8th, for Palermo, Sicily, with a cargo of orange box shooks and on Nov. 10th encountered bad weather, which continued up to the 24th and 25th. When in lat. 36° 4', lon. 59° 56' she experienced a hurricane of fearful violence, which commenced at the east and backed to the west. The heavy and irregular sea made it necessary to send before the gale. She shipped several destructive seas and one of them broke the main-boom, split the rudder casing and started several planks at the wood-end and filled the cabin and forward house. They found it necessary to lighten the vessel aft to diminish the leak, which was done after many difficulties by cutting through the forward bulkhead of the cabin and passing the shooks out of the companionway, and finally to save vessel and cargo, bore up for a port of refuge. Capt. [illegible] says "In my long experience I have never encountered anything equal." This is the first time I ever entered a port in distress. She arrived at St. Thomas, Dec. 19th, as before reported.

AMUSEMENTS.

Prof. R. A. Proctor.

As Professor Proctor's lectures on Astronomy are not only entertaining but instructive and especially so to the young, we are requested to state that, in order to give the school children an opportunity to attend these entertainments, and, particularly the pupils of the High and Grammar schools, reduced prices will be made for parties of ten or more school children, on application to Mr. Owen, at the Opera House by any of the teachers or the School Committee. There has been a good sale of course tickets and there is a good prospect of a liberal attendance on the lectures, which will be given next Monday and Tuesday evenings.

Special Meetings.

The week of prayer is to be observed at the Union street M. E. church by special religious services. The well known evangelists, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Pierson, of Boston are to assist in the services. They will commence their labors to-morrow with the regular Sunday service at 10.30 A. M. Meetings will be held every evening through the week, commencing at 7.30. A Bible reading will be given by Mrs. Pierson, Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Possibly other afternoon services may be held. Any and all who can, are cordially invited to attend any and all these services. Those especially who are not church members and do not attend regularly any church are most cordially invited. The Old Year has closed. So life is passing. Shall we not begin the New Year with brightest hope and a steady aim for the better things that never perish? Our invitation to attend these meetings is hearty and earnest. With sincere desire for the present and eternal well-being of all, we say, come; and let him that heareth say come; and let him that is athirst come; And whosoever will let him take the water of life freely.

C. B. BESSE,
Pastor Union Street M. E. Church.

Entertainment at Carmel.

The young ladies of Carmel village have furnished the Town Hall with new scenery and propose to raise funds to defray the expenses by a series of entertainments and gave the first of the series New Year's evening with the following programme:

Miss E. H. Johnson, organist; song, Peek-a-boo, Miss Blanchard, Dodge and Lou Miller, Nellie Murphy, Masters Ed N. Miller and Harry Roberts, tableau, Pop; Cribina's Vision of Angels; while watching St. Cecilia, duet, The Gipsy Countess, D. D. Poberts and Mrs. M. Simpson, cornet solo, Miss Alice Parkman, Addison's Lion Drill, Mrs. M. Simpson, Miss Etta Simpson, Mrs. Wm Nichols, Mrs. A. L. Garcett, Mrs. B. Newcomb, Mrs. G. N. Miller, Mrs. G. T. Dodge, Mrs. M. L. Simpson; tableau, Bowers Dividing their Spoils; song, O where are you going my pretty maid, tableau, Art, [illegible]; song, Flower Girl, Mrs. L. M. Simpson; tableau, Cleopatra's Banquet; Fagot Binders, D. D. Poberts, Mrs. G. N. Miller, M. L. Curtis, Miss M. L. March, Ed. L. Simpson, Miss Lou Parkman, S. G. Brown, Miss Ida Vincent; tableau, Hope Beyond, cornet solo, Miss Parkman, tableau, Day and Night.

The entertainment throughout was a grand success and thoroughly appreciated by the audience, as was shown by the applause and encore as the curtain dropped on each scene.

The cornet solos by Miss Alice Parkman, of East Corinth, were finely rendered—Silver Stream Polka (encore), Sweet By and By, Yankee Doodle (encore), When the Swallows Homeward Fly—reflecting credit to her skill and musical ability.

Addison's Lion Drill, the event of the evening, was presented in a manner that might cause our experienced actors to [illegible] of their laurels and was finely received by the audience. The song, The Flower Girl, as given by Mrs. L. M. Simpson, was an exhibition of both fine acting and singing. Credit for the entertainment is due to Miss Etta and Mrs. L. M. Simpson and they heartily wish to thank others for their assistance. L. C. W.

Sunday Services.

Rev. G. G. Cressey will commence his labors with the Universalist society tomorrow. Service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12.15.

There will be a temperance meeting at City Hall Sunday at 4 P. M. under the auspices of the Reform Club.

Divine services at St. John's Episcopal church, Jan. 4th at 10.30 A. M. service will be "A New Year's Exhortation." The subject of the lecture at the 3.30 P. M. service will be [illegible].

Rev. Dr. McKenzie, of Boston, will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist church Sunday forenoon and [illegible] o'clock in the evening at half past seven.

Services at the Union street Methodist church will be conducted tomorrow morning and evening by Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Pierson, of Boston.

There will be a missionary meeting for young men held at the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association Sunday afternoon commencing at 3.30 o'clock. The exercises begin with a service of song. Young men invited.

A class for conversation on Bible study will be held at the Y. M. C. A. Association parlors Sunday afternoon at four o'clock. Strangers always welcome.

A meeting will be held in the [illegible] Sunday morning at nine o'clock, conducted by the Young Men's Christian Association.

New Advertisements.

Bonnets, hats and feathers closing out. [illegible] W. Collins.

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Business Items.

A DRUGGIST'S STORY.—Mr. Isaac C. Chapman, Druggist, Newburg, N. Y., writes us: "I have for the past ten years sold several gross of DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS. I can say of it what I cannot say of any other medicine. I have never heard a customer speak of it but to praise its virtues in the highest manner. I have recommended it in a great many cases of Whooping Cough, with the happiest effect. I have used it in my own family for many years. In fact, always have a bottle in the medicine closet."
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DANIEL F. DAVIS, Collector of Customs District of Bangor.
Bangor, Dec. 26, 1884.

Home for Aged Women.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Home for Aged Women in Bangor will be held at the City Hall Building, on Thursday the 8th day of January next at 2½ o'clock P. M., for the purpose of choosing officers and the transaction of any business that may come before the meeting.

FRANCES H. NOBLE, Secy.
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